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## HOUSE BILL No. 1893

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DIGEST OF HB1893 (Updated February 17, 1999 5:58 pm - DI 77)

**Citations Affected:** IC 22-13; noncode.

**Synopsis:** Construction of playgrounds. Requires the fire prevention and building safety commission to adopt rules concerning the construction of public and school playgrounds and the playground equipment used on the playgrounds.

**Effective:** July 1, 1999.

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Adams T**

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January 26, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.  
February 18, 1999, reported — Do Pass.

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Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1998 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning labor and industrial safety.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1       SECTION 1. IC 22-13-2-8.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA  
2 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: **Sec. 8.5. (a) The commission shall**  
4 **adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 concerning elementary school and**  
5 **public:**

6           (1) **playgrounds constructed; and**  
7           (2) **playground equipment purchased or replaced;**  
8 **after June 30, 2000.**  
9           (b) **Rules adopted under subsection (a) must be equivalent to**  
10 **the guidelines established by the Handbook for Public Playground**  
11 **Safety of the United States Product Safety Commission.**

12       SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999] (a) **The fire**  
13 **prevention and building safety commission shall adopt the rules**  
14 **required under IC 22-13-2-8.5, as added by this act, not later than**  
15 **June 30, 2000.**

16           (b) **This SECTION expires July 1, 2000.**

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## COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred House Bill 1893, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

BROWN C, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 13, nays 0.

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